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HEBER CITY, UTAH, 10/1, 1967

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- (1) Robert Dewey McKell
  - (2) Frank Watts Hardy
- Mary Cecela Ellsworth

Thursday, December 24, 1970

### Mary M. Hardy

HEBER CITY — Mary Cecelia

Ellsworth McKell  
Hardy, 75, died  
Dec. 22 in a Salt  
Lake hospital of  
lung cancer. Born  
April 20, 1895,  
Payson, to Ger-  
man and Kristina  
Nilsson Ellsworth.  
Married Robert  
Dewey McKell,  
June 1, 1917, Salt  
Lake LDS Tem-  
ple; he died Sept.  
3, 1935. Married  
Frank Watts  
Hardy, June 2,  
1948, Salt Lake  
LDS Temple. Re-  
ceived 25-year  
service pin, Pri-  
mary, Past Presi-  
dent, Utah State  
Firemen's Auxiliary. Survivors: hus-  
band; sons, daughter, Dr. William  
Ellsworth McKell, Provo; Mrs. Jack  
(Jean Marie) Goodwin, Madison,  
Wis.; Dr. Cyrus Milo McKell, Logan;  
Dr. Melburn E. McKell, Palmdale,  
Calif.; stepsons, stepdaughter, Rich-  
ard, Albuquerque, N.M.; Don  
Hardy, Needles, Calif.; Mrs. Harold  
(Ruth) Gleason, Boise, Idaho; 29  
grandchildren; 3 great-grandchil-  
dren; brothers, sister, Dr. Jesse Wil-  
ford J., both Payson; Mrs. Sarah  
Madsen, Salt Lake City. Funeral Sat-  
urday noon Heber Fourth LDS Ward  
Chapel. Friends call Olpin Mortuary,  
Heber City, Friday 7-9 p.m., Satur-  
day prior to services. Burial Spanish  
Fork City Cemetery.







YWMIA: Helen Lindsay, president, with Jean Montgomery and Mabel Fisher, counselors and Elva Smith, secretary until 1939 when Mary Mahoney became president with Venola Cowley and Amy Giles Bond as counselors and Hazel Orgill as secretary.

Isabrand Sander was sustained on November 4, 1945 as the next bishop of the ward, choosing as his counselors J. Linden Chapman and Jay De Graff, with Francis Cowley, ward clerk. Elder Cowley became counselor in the bishopric when Elder De Graff was released, and Verd Murdock was sustained as clerk.

Bishop Sander served as bishop of the ward until April 13, 1947 when the stake presidency proposed a division of the ward to create the new Heber Fourth Ward. Bishop Sander was called to remain as Third Ward bishop, and his counselor, J. Linden Chapman became the Fourth Ward Bishop. New counselors sustained to Bishop Sander were Andrew McConkie and C. Ferris Clegg, with Ray J. Berg, clerk.

The new Heber Third ward was to include the area east of main street from First South to Sixth South, then east one block and south to the Daniel line. The area west of this line was the new Heber Fourth Ward.

Leaders who served with Bishop Sander prior to the division of the ward included:

RELIEF SOCIETY: Annie J. Smith, president, Mina Giles and Luella Fitzgerald, counselors and Ethel Johnson, secretary. In 1946 Kezia Crook became a counselor.

PRIMARY: Mae G. Smith, president, with Reba H. Davis and Ruby P. Hicken, counselors and Margaret Pierce, secretary.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: A. Ralph Johnson, superintendent; Andrew R. McConkie and Don Barker, assistants and secretaries Roy P. Hicken and Faye D. Henrie. Roy Hicken later became an assistant in 1947 and Dorothy Howes became secretary.

YMMIA: C. Ferris Clegg, superintendent, with William J. Price and William Montel Giles, assistants and Dennis A. Clegg, secretary.

YWMIA: Nellie C. Stephens, president; Venice H. Watson and Susie H. Giles, counselors and May J. Murdock, secretary.

After the division of the ward, Bishop Sander called the following to serve in the organizations:

RELIEF SOCIETY: Annie J. Smith, president; Alice Thacker and Gladys Blackley, counselors and Ethel Johnson, secretary.

PRIMARY: Stella Reese, president; Clara Hicken and Theola Swain, counselors and Margaret Pierce, secretary.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Horace Walker, superintendent; Cyril Hicken and Malin Lewis, assistants and Lois Cummings, secretary.

YMMIA: Irwin T. Hicken, superintendent, with William Mair and Joe Thomas, assistants and Jerald Murdock, secretary.

YWMIA: Ruby P. Hicken, president; Thelma Wootton, Marion Buys and later Merlene Simmons, counselors and Dorothy Turner, secretary.



Florence Fisher Hicken in a picture taken on her 17th birthday. For 46 years she served as Third Ward organist. This was during the ward's first four bishops.

During Bishop Sander's term of office, Florence F. Hicken completed 46 years as ward organist. Margaret Murdock was sustained in her place, followed shortly by Venola Cowley. During the years a prominent Third Ward musical group was a male quartet composed of Livingston C. Montgomery, Jowett Fortie, William J. Bond and Ben Roberts, who furnished appropriate music for many church services, civic meetings, funerals, weddings and other events. Choristers of the ward choir during this time were Lloyd Winn and Frank Hardy.

Succeeding Bishop Sander as the fifth bishop of the ward was Francis Cowley who was sustained on November 12, 1950. Counselors to him were Ray J. Berg and Horace K. Walker. Clerks were Jimmy Patterson and Ralph Brandt. Later Horace Walker became first counselor and Gordon Mendenhall and Cyril Hicken served at different times as second counselors.

Leadership in the ward under Bishop Cowley included the following:

RELIEF SOCIETY: Elma Tadd, president with Josie Bronson and Vera Anderson as counselors and May Calderwood, secretary.

PRIMARY: New officers installed May 20, 1951 were Ella Yates, president; Lola Berg and C. Manila Nicol, counselors and Deon McKnight, secretary.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Cyril Hicken, superintendent, Leslie Bethers and Keith Trane, assistants.

MIA: Reginald Tadd, superintendent, with Cyril Hicken and John Fretwell, assistants; Elaine DeGraff Walker, president and Marion C. Buys and Gladys Blackley, counselors, followed by Nelda Lee, Fern Prescott, Hilda Patterson.

The ward's present bishop, Ray J. Berg, was sustained on Feb. 6, 1955, and chose as his counselors Cyril M. Hicken and Reginald Tadd. Clerks are Ralph Brandt and Arthur Young. Two major events thus far





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John A. Fortie became mayor in 1918 after winning the election the previous Fall. George Smith, Joseph A. Murdock, J. Fred Giles and Abe Turner comprised the city council, while Sylvan Rasband was treasurer and J. E. McMullin the recorder.

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When he actually became mayor in 1924, two of his councilmen were among those he had previously considered. They were Jesse R. Nelson and J. W. Giles. Other councilmen were John H. Miller, Albert Dickson and T. Henry Moulton. J. Sylvan Rasband was recorder and Elmer Strong, treasurer.

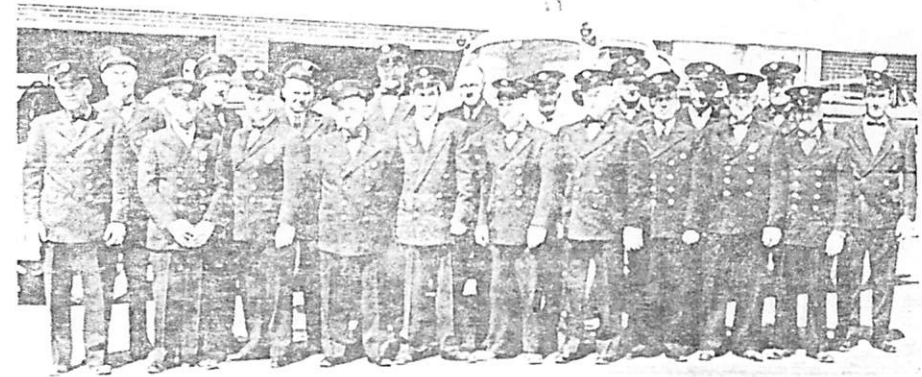
During his first term, Mayor McMullin spearheaded the drive to organize the Heber Volunteer Fire Department. The area's first motorized fire engine was purchased in 1924 and "initiated" at a fire on Sept. 17, 1925, when hay, grain and straw belonging to Thomas, Erwin and Don Rasband began to burn in a field on the Charleston Road. The fire started from a spark from a threshing machine.

On Sept. 21, 1925 the city council passed an ordinance creating the official fire department and providing for fire inspection. The council also hired John Barnes at \$15 a quarter to sound the fire siren each morning at 7 a.m. as a time regulator.

The first members of the fire department included Frank W. Hardy,

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Members of the Heber Valley Fire Department in 1953 included the following: From left to right, Arvel M. McAfee, Frank Hardy, Arch Buys, Douglas Smith, Mont Giles, Ray Wright, William Turnbow, Harvey Bronson, Don Smith, Verl Wright, Earl Smith, Hylton Burch, Neff Thomas, Neil Montgomery, Rolland Carlile, Lynn McKnight, Forest Dayton, Richard Jones, Owen Buell and Glen Jensen.

William Horner, Abram Hatch Jr., William Murri, Rudolph McKnight, Francis Moulton, Earl Smith, Virgil Fraughton, A. D. Buys, Earl Clyde, Joseph Hylton and Mont Giles, all on a volunteer basis. Others who joined soon after the organization was formed were Lee Holdaway, Forrest Dayton, Owen Buell, Joseph Olpin, Ralph Giles, Lorenzo Wootton, Walter O'Toole and Carl Duke. Mr. Hardy was appointed chief with Mr. Horner assistant chief, Mr. Hatch, captain and Mr. Murri secretary.

Four hydrants were installed on main street and 1,000 feet of fire hose was purchased on two two-wheeled trailers. One trailer was kept at the Pikes Peak Garage and the other at Moulton Garage.

By 1926 the department had grown to 16 members and the group had joined the Utah State Firemen's Association.

The second fire truck, a 500 gallon Maack pumper was purchased in 1935 as a cooperative venture between Heber City, Midway, Charleston and the county commission. The department's name was changed to the Heber Valley Volunteer Fire Department, and began responding to fires anywhere in the valley.

Mr. Hardy served as chief for 13 years and was succeeded by Lee Holdaway in 1937. Earl H. Smith succeeded Mr. Holdaway, and then in 1946 Mr. Hardy again became chief and served until 1959 when Neff Thomas was appointed. Assistant chiefs have included William Horner, Forrest Dayton, A. D. Buys, Mont Giles and Arvil McAfee.





1945; Ruby Cummings, 1947; Atha Montgomery, 1949; Annie Rasband, 1952; Marie P. Carlile, 1954, and Alice Seiter, 1957.

**PRIMARY:** Presidents, and the years in which they were sustained, are as follows: Janett Murdoch McMullin, 1903; Emma Giles Carlile, 1904; Janett Gardner Duke, 1908; Maybell McMullin Moulton, 1912; Emma Giles Carlile, 1915; Eliza A. Jeffs Rasband, 1916; Florence Jacobs Nelson, 1919; Blanch Young McAfee, 1925; Annie McMullin Rasband, 1927; Zelma McNaughton, 1932; Ella Giles Danielson, 1935; Pearl Carlile Remund, 1939; Yvonne Cummings Watson, 1940; Atha Johnson Montgomery, 1942; Jennie Broadbent Carlile, 1946; Norma Moulton Montgomery, 1950; Clara Howarth Epperson, 1953; Viola Giles Kinsey, 1954; Doris Thacker Gardner, 1955; Zella Howarth Mair, 1956; Thora VanLeuvan Pace, 1958; Alleen Zufelt Giles, 1959, and Maurine C. Cheever, 1960.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Included among the Sunday School superintendents have been John E. Moulton, A. L. Davis, J. E. McMullin, Forrest Dayton, J. Sylvan Rasband, Kenneth Carlile, H. Clay Cummings, Fenton Sharp, Warren Hicken, Richard Glazier, Irving Rasband, Paul VanWagoner, Emer Broadbent, Walter McDonald, John Barnard, Angus Thacker, Mark Rasband, Earl Dayton, Byron Cheever and Neil Montgomery.

**YMMIA:** Some of the MIA superintendents have been J. T. (Tom) Roberts, Royal J. Murdock, J. R. Price, George Pyper, J. Sylvan Rasband who served two separate times, Francis Carlile, John Danielson who served two separate times, Wendell Duke, Ray Nelson, Glendon Evans, Earl H. Smith, Edson Packer, Walter Seiter, Clarence Pace and Dennis Jensen.

**YWMIA:** Presidents in the ward have included Christina Montgomery Smithies, Sylvia Duke Buckley, Della Giles Davies, Mary Buell Simkin, Annie McMullin Rasband, Lillian Cummings Moulton, Ruth Hicken Dickson, Katherine Moulton, a counselor who acted during Sister Dickson's extended illness, Emma Sonderegger Nelson, Donna Murdock Montgomery, Zelma McNaughton, Rachel Smith, Ella Giles Danielson, Florence Price Carlile, Teenie Montgomery Rasband, Bernice Alder Simpson, La Von Howe Jones, Helen Turner Carlile, Wanda Carlile Simmons and Josie Todd Hicken.

**CHOIR:** When the ward was organized in 1903 Joseph A. Murdock was named chorister with Lillian Cummings (Moulton) as organist. Others who have directed the choir include J. E. McMullin, Frank Hardy, Emma Carlile (Smith), Clara Howarth Epperson and Atha J. Montgomery. Organists have been Emma G. Carlile, LaVern Jeffs Ryan, Lillian Cummings (Moulton), May Giles (Smith), Donna Murdock (Montgomery) Ethel Moulton (Watson) and ReNee Thacker Carlile.

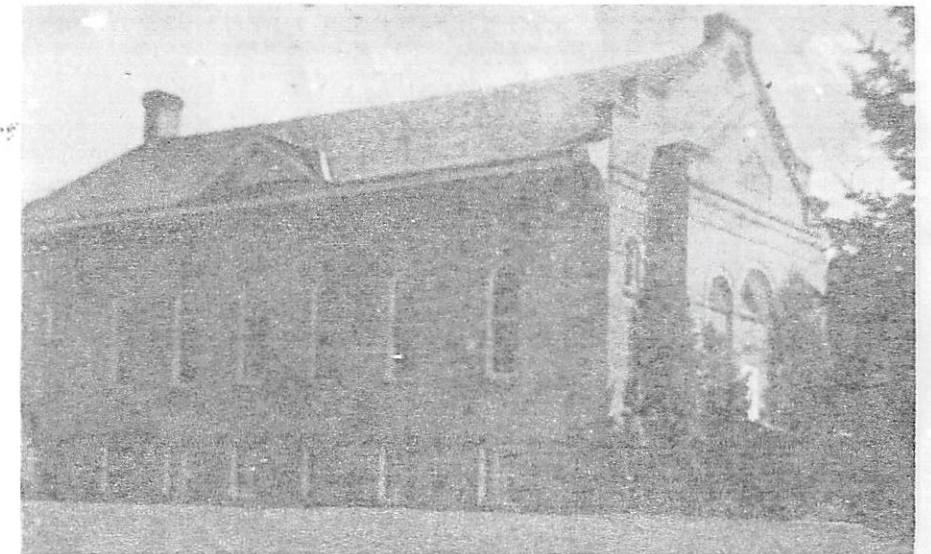
## HEBER THIRD WARD

With the formation of the Heber Third Ward on February 8, 1903, Frederick Crook was called to be the first bishop. Permanent counselors were not chosen at the time, but Joseph Moulton, a stake high councilman, was asked to act temporarily as first counselor and Joseph E. D. Tomlinson as second counselor.

A permanent bishopric was sustained at a meeting held November 8, 1903, when Frederick W. Giles who had been serving as ward clerk was sustained as first counselor and Joseph E. D. Tomlinson second counselor. Charles H. Ohlwiler was selected as ward clerk. In 1908 F. W. Giles was called as a missionary to Great Britain and during his absence Joseph Tomlinson became first counselor and Adolphia Y. Duke, also a stake high councilman, served as second counselor when Elder Giles returned home he was sustained as second counselor in the bishopric.

Bishop Crook served the ward for more than 28 years. Others who served as counselors were Edward Parley Cliff, John A. Anderson and Joseph Claudius Hicken. The clerk, Brother Ohlwiler, moved away in 1909 and Charles De Graff was sustained to the position. He served until 1912 when William H. Bond became clerk and served until Bishop Crook's release in 1931.

When the ward was organized the meetings were held in the Heber Central School building. Members began a drive to collect funds for a new building, and by December 26, 1915 they were ready to dedicate a \$13,000 chapel at Fourth South and Main Street. President Joseph F. Smith dedicated the building, which is still in use today by the ward.



The Heber Third Ward Chapel built in 1912.







The ward's second bishop, Walter Montgomery, was sustained February 22, 1931, and chose as his counselors Ralph F. Giles and Irwin T. Hicken. J. Ernest Crook was clerk. Elder Rudger Clawson of the Council of the Twelve was present at the meeting when Bishop Montgomery was sustained. Other clerks included C. Ray Mahoney who succeeded Ernest Crook, July 5, 1931, Joseph W. Witt and Andrew A. Lindsay.

Shortly after Bishop Montgomery was sustained he called a special ward missionary committee and gave them the responsibility to prepare special testimonial and homecoming programs for departing or returning missionaries, to write ward newsletters to those in the field and remember the missionaries on birthdays and at Christmas. Committee members were Florence F. Hicken, Elroy Jones and Mazie W. Hicken.

Leaders of the ward under Bishop Montgomery included the following:

**CHOIR:** Richard Brierley, Jay R. Smith, Frank Hardy and J. W. Brierly, choristers. Florence F. Hicken, organist.

**RELIEF SOCIETY:** Margaret Elizabeth Wootton, president, with Rhoda H. Ohlwiler and Minnie L. Crook, counselors and Bessie M. Hicken, secretary. In March of 1932 Josephine Jones was sustained as president with Hazel S. Hardy first counselor, Mina Nilsson, second counselors and Alta Mahoney, secretary.

**PRIMARY:** Marion Clegg, president, with Mina Nilsson and Marie Murray, counselors and Dezzie N. Clegg, secretary. Kezia Baxter was sustained as president in 1935 and had as counselors Sylvia Coleman and Reba Davis.

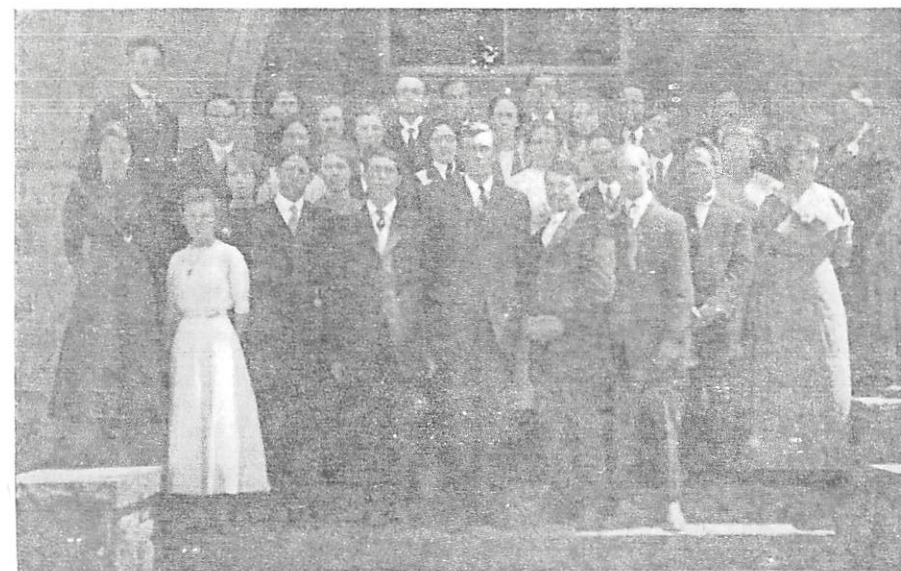
**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Ralph F. Nilsson, superintendent; John F. Turner, James Ernest Crook and C. Ray Mahoney, assistants, and Florence Blackley, secretary. A new superintendency sustained in 1936 included Nephi Moulton superintendent, Irwin Thacker, first counselor and Dawson Lindsay, second counselor.

**YMMIA:** Irwin T. Hicken, superintendent, with Earl N. Carlile and Vestus Mahoney, counselors and Raymond Murdock, secretary. In 1936 two new counselors, Vincent Giles and Dawson Lindsay were sustained.

**YWMIA:** Orah Giles, president, with Edith Wootton and Mazie W. Hicken, counselors and Venice Hicken, secretary. Sustained in 1936 were Helen Lindsay, president, Jean Montgomery and Mabel Fisher, counselors and Elva Smith, secretary.

The third change in bishoprics came on April 6, 1938, when Bishop Ralph F. Giles was sustained, along with his counselors Irwin T. Hicken and J. Linden Chapman. Andrew A. Lindsay and Francis Cowley were ward clerks.

A month after he was sustained, Bishop Giles instituted a landscaping project in the ward and called Geneva B. Cliff as project chairman,



Officers and teachers of the Heber Third Ward Sunday School in 1910. Meetings were held in the old Central School Building, where this picture was taken. Front row, left to right, Mary Fisher, Charles DeGraff, E. Parley Cliff, superintendent; H. Cardwell Clegg, Bishop Frederick Crook, Glenn Jensen. Second row, Velma Crook, Laura Clyde, Erma Jensen, Naomi Duke, Jennie Campbell, F. W. Giles, Arthur Jackman, unidentified lady. Back row, Clayton Montgomery, Noah Giles, Pearl Walker, Mary Ann Cummings, Mina Bond, Cleon Cummings, L. C. Montgomery, A. Tangren, Mazie Campbell, Elijah Hicken, Mattie Clegg, John Ohlwiler, Joseph E. Tomlinson, Thomas Blackley, Florence Jacob and Mary M. Fisher.

to be assisted by Minnie Crook and adult members of the MIA.

Auxiliary organization leaders who served with Bishop Giles included the following:

**CHOIR:** Lloyd Winn, chorister and Florence F. Hicken, organist.

**RELIEF SOCIETY:** Martha Blackley, president, with Elma Tadd first counselor and Bertha Murdock, second counselor. Later Catharine H. Rasband became a counselor and LaVora Mair and Mabel Crook, secretaries.

**PRIMARY:** Kezia Baxter, president, Fay Hylton, Sylvia Coleman, Virginia C. Newbold, Reba Davis, Margaret Pierce, counselors and Tora Chapman, secretary. Later Annie Smith became president with Susie Giles and Lois Baird as counselors.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Nephi Moulton, superintendent, with Irwin W. Thacker, Dawson Lindsay and Don Hicken, assistants, and Hope Murdock, secretary.

**YMMIA:** Superintendent Vincent T. Giles with Joseph W. Witt and Bert K. Smith, assistants and Alfred Chapman, secretary.





## BISHOPS OF THE HEBER THIRD WARD



Frederick Crook



Walter Montgomery



Ralph F. Giles



Isabrand Sander



Francis Cowley



Ray Berg

Music directors who served with Bishop Crook and his counselors included George Harbour, Robert McKnight, Robert Lambert, William J. Bond and Frank Hardy, choristers and Florence Fisher (Hicken), organist.

Other leaders with Bishop Crook included:

**RELIEF SOCIETY:** Johannah E. Jensen, president; Sophia Elizabeth Hicken, first counselor; Marion J. Campbell, second counselor; Maria C. Giles, secretary and Malinda Mahoney, treasurer. This organization served until December 31, 1930, within a few months of the entire term of Bishop Crook. The new presidency then sustained included Elizabeth Wootton, president; Rhoda Ohlwiler, first counselor; Minnie Crook, second counselor and Bessie Hicken, secretary.

**PRIMARY:** Amelia C. Montgomery, president; Mary Ann Cummings and Martha Jones, counselors; Lizzie Murray, secretary until 1910



The first officers and teachers of the Heber Third Ward Sunday School are shown here in a photograph taken in 1906. Pictured are, front row, left to right, Carlie Clegg, Mary Ann Cummings, Florence Fisher, Nellie Clyde, Annie McMillan, Annie Jones and Mary Clayton. Second row, Malinda Moulton, Elsie Burkhart, Anna Duke, May Rasband, Malinda Hicken, Lizzie Rasband, Martha Jones. Third row, Nellie Murray, Jay Jensen, first assistant superintendent, Henry James Clegg, superintendent, George A. Wootton, second assistant superintendent, William T. Hicken, Verna Mahoney, Bessie Smart and Minnie Cummings. Fourth row, Mamie L. Fisher, Millie Moulton, Josie Moulton, Catherine Hicken, Elizabeth Murray, George Harbor, Elizabeth McMillan. Fifth row, J. Claud Hicken, John Ohlwiler, Livingston C. Montgomery, Thomas Blackley and A. Pratt Hicken.

after which Alice S. Walker was president with Rose A. Ohlwiler and Mazie Campbell, counselors and Olive Hicken, secretary. Juventa Tullige was chorister.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** George A. Wootton, superintendent; Henry James Clegg and William T. Hicken, counselors; Verna Mae Mahoney, secretary and Florence Fisher and Annie Jones, directors and teachers of kindergarten department.

**YMMIA:** Andrew G. Erickson, superintendent, with Charles J. Wahlquist and Alma E. Dayton counselors and Daniel McMillan, secretary. John M. Chapman was sustained superintendent in 1906 with Joseph G. Moulton and George M. Jorgensen counselors and L. C. Montgomery, secretary.

**YWMA:** Nellie Murray, president, Minnie A. Cummings and Malinda Hicken, counselors; Josie Moulton, secretary and Mary A. Clyde, treasurer.



## BISHOPS OF THE HEBER FOURTH WARD



Linden Chapman



Sherman Giles

Popp, secretaries; Rhea Swain, president, with Lucinda Jensen, Ruth McGuire and Afton Davis, counselors, and Maranda Watkins and Mary Bethers, secretaries.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Ralph Johnson, superintendent with Roy Hicken and Melvin Carlile, assistants, and LaRae Baird and Beverly Watson, secretaries; Vincent Giles, superintendent with Errol Hicken, Curtis Walton, Jack Moulton and Leon Ritchie, assistants and Carol Ingels secretary; Jack Moulton, superintendent, with Leon Ritchie, J. Moroni Besendorfer and Bert Lindsay, assistants, and Sharon and Shirley Anderson, secretaries.

**YMMIA:** Elvin Giles, superintendent, with Mack Davis and Glade Horner, assistants and Ray Stanley, secretary; Frank Chapman, superintendent, with Mack Davis, Glade Horner, Don Stanley and Don Barker, assistants and Ray Stanley, secretary; Don Barker, superintendent, with Oliver Edwards, Leon Ritchie and Ward Hicken, assistants, and Tommy Bird, secretary; Glade Horner, superintendent, with Wayne Simmons, Farrell Bond, Paul Stanley and Marion Tree, assistants, and Russell Bird, secretary; Wayne Simmons, superintendent, with Marion Tree and Ted Burgener, assistants and Morris Thacker, secretary. Don Barker, superintendent, with assistants Oliver Edwards and Rodney Mahoney.

**YWMIA:** Ruth Gleason, president with LaVone Moulton and Lorna Thacker, counselors and Grace Crook, secretary; LaVone Moulton, president, with Elda Ritchie, Lucille Giles, Nadine Giles Price and Phyllis Crook, counselors and Leora Lindsay and LuAnn Giles as secretaries; Afton Davis, president, with Nadine Giles Price, Erma Marman and Theda Johnson as counselors and LuAnn Giles, secretary; Sue Giles, president, with Ruth Gleason, Nona Babb and Faye Edwards, counselors and Aleen Giles and Mae Murdock, secretaries; Nona Babb, president, with Karma Besendorfer and Phyllis Crook, counselors and Mae Murdock, secretary; Merla Atkinson, president, with Ruth Annette Montgomery and Karen Carlile, counselors and Linda Mahoney, secretary;

Theda Johnson, president, with Jean Mortensen and Tennie Barker, counselors and Linda Mahoney, secretary; Tennie Barker, president, with Jean Mortensen, Erva North and Lu Ann Giles, counselors and Linda Mahoney, secretary; Ruth Carlile, president, with Ann Lu Williams, Jean Mackley and Ellen Tregaskis as counselors.

**GENEALOGY:** John Chapman, chairman, with LeRoy Baxter and Earl Carlile, assistants and Mary Finnegan, secretary; William C. Crook, chairman, with Irwin Thacker and Brent Carlile, assistants and Mary Healy, secretary; Bert Lindsay, chairman, with Earl Carlile and Glen Davis, assistants and LaVina Hicken, secretary.

Lucile Giles and Frank Hardy have served as ward choristers, with Ruth Gleason, May Smith and Carol Herndon as organists. The ward has continually had an active choir the only ward in the stake with such a record.

## HEBER FIFTH WARD

One of the most "scattered" wards in Heber City is the Fifth Ward, which was organized on September 10, 1954 by a division of the Second Ward. It covers the area west of Main Street and North of First North all the way to and including Keetley. Yet, in spite of the fact that its members are widely dispersed, its activities and spirit are united.

When the ward was created Vernon W. Price was sustained as bishop. He chose John J. Barnard and O. Maurice Miller as counselors, and Glen Moulton and Ivan Draper as ward clerks. About a year later, Brother Barnard moved to Provo and Brother Miller became first counselor and Glen Moulton was called as the new second counselor. Ivan Draper continued as ward clerk.



Vernon W. Price

Bishop of the Heber Fifth Ward since 1954.

A building fund effort is underway in the ward and each organization is working on various fund-raising events. Already each of the auxiliary groups has donated \$500 to the building fund. The ward also has a 20-acre farm to supply hay for the stake welfare farm.

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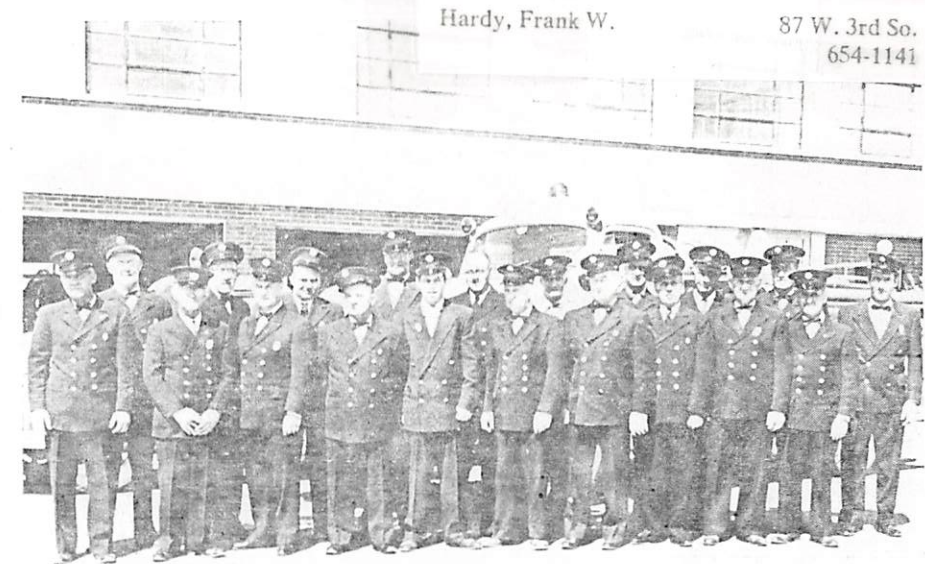
"When in my early teens," he wrote, "and attending Central School, I had a deep desire to become Mayor of Heber City someday. I was so impressed with the idea I even chose my councilmen."

When he actually became mayor in 1924, two of his councilmen were among those he had previously considered. They were Jesse R. Nelson and J. W. Giles. Other councilmen were John H. Miller, Albert Dickson and T. Henry Moulton. J. Sylvan Rasband was recorder and Elmer Strong, treasurer.

During his first term, Mayor McMullin spearheaded the drive to organize the Heber Volunteer Fire Department. The area's first motorized fire engine was purchased in 1924 and "initiated" at a fire on Sept. 17, 1925, when hay, grain and straw belonging to Thomas, Erwin and Don Rasband began to burn in a field on the Charleston Road. The fire started from a spark from a threshing machine.

On Sept. 21, 1925 the city council passed an ordinance creating the official fire department and providing for fire inspection. The council also hired John Barnes at \$15 a quarter to sound the fire siren each morning at 7 a.m. as a time regulator.

The first members of the fire department included Frank W. Hardy,



Members of the Heber Valley Fire Department in 1958 included the following: From left to right, Arvel M. McAfee, Frank Hardy, Arch Buys, Douglas Smith, Mont Giles, Ray Wright, William Turnbow, Harvey Bronson, Don Smith, Verl Wright, Earl Smith, Hylton Burch, Neff Thomas, Neil Montgomery, Rolland Carlile, Lynn McKnight, Forest Dayton, Richard Jones, Owen Buell and Glen Jensen.

William Horner, Abram Hatch Jr., William Murri, Rudolph McKnight, Francis Moulton, Earl Smith, Virgil Fraughton, A. D. Buys, Earl Clyde, Joseph Hylton and Mont Giles, all on a volunteer basis. Others who joined soon after the organization was formed were Lee Holdaway, Forrest Dayton, Owen Buell, Joseph Olpin, Ralph Giles, Lorenzo Wootton, Walter O'Toole and Carl Duke. Mr. Hardy was appointed chief with Mr. Horner assistant chief, Mr. Hatch, captain and Mr. Murri secretary.

Four hydrants were installed on main street and 1,000 feet of fire hose was purchased on two two-wheeled trailers. One trailer was kept at the Pikes Peak Garage and the other at Moulton Garage.

By 1926 the department had grown to 16 members and the group had joined the Utah State Firemen's Association.

The second fire truck, a 500 gallon Maack pumper was purchased in 1935 as a cooperative venture between Heber City, Midway, Charleston and the county commission. The department's name was changed to the Heber Valley Volunteer Fire Department, and began responding to fires anywhere in the valley.

Mr. Hardy served as chief for 13 years and was succeeded by Lee Holdaway in 1937. Earl H. Smith succeeded Mr. Holdaway, and then in 1946 Mr. Hardy again became chief and served until 1959 when Neff Thomas was appointed. Assistant chiefs have included William Horner, Forrest Dayton, A. D. Buys, Mont Giles and Arvil McAfee.





## BISHOPS OF THE HEBER THIRD WARD



Frederick Crook



Walter Montgomery



Ralph F. Giles



Isabrand Sander



Francis Cowley



Ray Berg

Music directors who served with Bishop Crook and his counselors included George Harbour, Robert McKnight, Robert Lambert, William J. Bond and Frank Hardy, choristers and Florence Fisher (Hicken), organist.

Other leaders with Bishop Crook included:

RELIEF SOCIETY: Johannah E. Jensen, president; Sophia Elizabeth Hicken, first counselor; Marion J. Campbell, second counselor; Maria C. Giles, secretary and Malinda Mahoney, treasurer. This organization served until December 31, 1930, within a few months of the entire term of Bishop Crook. The new presidency then sustained included Elizabeth Wootton, president; Rhoda Ohlwiler, first counselor; Minnie Crook, second counselor and Bessie Hicken, secretary.

PRIMARY: Amelia C. Montgomery, president; Mary Ann Cummings and Martha Jones, counselors; Lizzie Murray, secretary until 1910





Firemen who have received their 25 year pins from the State Firemen's Association include Owen F. Buell, Earl H. Smith, Mont Giles, A. D. Buys, Forrest Dayton and Frank Hardy. At the 1961 state convention held in St. George, Mr. Hardy was presented a 50-year pin for service to the Utah association. Earl H. Smith is also serving his third five-year term as a trustee of the state group.

During recent years the department has moved into a new fire station and has added new trucks and many pieces of modern fire fighting equipment. Membership is kept at 20, all of whom are on call 24 hours a day and work strictly on a volunteer basis to protect property in the county against fires. Because of their work the valley's fire insurance rates have been very favorable.

Some firemen who have served in recent years include Verl Wright, William Turnbow, Neil Montgomery, Douglas Smith, Lynn McKnight, Lynn Bonner, Rolland Carlile, Bill Jaspersen, Ray Wright, Hylton Burch, Don Smith, Jay Giles, Harvey Bronson, Glen Jensen, Ralph Stevens, Marvis Clyde, Neil Bethers, Art Mair, Paul Probst, LaRen Provost, Ray Farrell, Richard Jones, and Clyde Broadbent.

Secretaries of the department have included Forrest Dayton, Owen Buell, Douglas Smith and Clyde Montgomery.

A ladies auxiliary was organized in 1949 with Mary Hardy as president. She was also State Auxiliary president. Other presidents have been Thelma Wootton, La Von Burch and Dove McAfee who also have been state presidents. Lizzie Buell served for 10 years and Lois Wright, both have been auxiliary secretaries. May Smith was State Auxiliary secretary for two years.

The first fire alarm was the bell in the stake house tower, but in recent years a siren has been constructed with connections to enable the telephone operator to sound the alarm.

In addition to his work with the fire department, Mayor McMullin completed successful road and sidewalk projects, improved the city water system and strengthened the Heber Light and Power Plant. While many interests were pressing the city to sell the "white elephant power plant," Mayor McMullin put the issue to the people in a special election and won a majority vote of the people to continue city operation of the facility.

When Mayor McMullin was re-elected in 1926 he had as councilmen Albert Dickson, Henry Moulton, Sumner Hatch and Frederick Crook. Sylvan Rasband and Elmer Strong continued as recorder and treasurer, respectively.

Mayor McMullin directed one of the valley's large celebrations in August of 1927 when the city played host to the Sixth Annual State Encampment of Indian War Veterans. The encampment and concurrent homecoming celebration continued for four days and included two parades, band concerts, dances by Ute Indians, talent shows, ball games, rodeos, carnival treats and community dances. Large barbecue pits dug

on the court house grounds for the 1924 celebration were used again to cook several beef and lambs and provide free sandwiches to everyone. J. W. Giles and Wesley Duke were in charge of the barbecue.

H. Clay Cummings, one of Heber's more popular mayors, was elected to office in 1928, and was the first mayor to be elected for four consecutive terms. Councilmen who were elected with him in the 1928 election included Sumner Hatch, Ralph F. Nilsson, Frederick Crook and Daniel McMillan. Velma Crook Buys was recorder and Elmer Strong continued as treasurer.

A successful cattleman, Mayor Cummings was also prominent in Church leadership as well as his civic duties. He was president of the Wasatch Stake for nearly 22 years, part of which time he also served as the mayor and later as a county commissioner.

His efforts as mayor included organization of the electric utility as the Heber Light and Power Company, paving main street, building the city's "White Way," and strengthening the fire department through the purchase of a new truck.

City officials who served with Mayor Cummings in his various terms included the following:

1930-31: J. W. Giles, Harold Stevens, Labon Hylton and Sylvan Smith, councilmen; Velma Buys, recorder and Clarence Olson, treasurer.

1932-33: Harold Stevens, Joseph Olpin, W. D. Ely, Daniel McMillan, councilmen; Clarence Olson, recorder; Effie Murdock, treasurer; Ernest Hicken, marshal and George Stanley, city attorney.

1934-35: Ralph Giles, Douglas Giles, Andrew Lindsay, Frank Epperson, councilmen; Clarence Olson, recorder; Thomas Tadd, marshal from daylight until 4 p.m.; Leonard Giles, marshal from 4 p.m. to midnight and Delbert Watson, marshal from midnight until daylight. (Marshal Tadd received \$87.50 per month, while Messers. Giles and Watson received \$55 per month.)

Another prominent cattleman became Heber's Mayor in the 1935 election when Mayor Cummings decided to run for the county commission. Livingston Clegg Montgomery, known as "L.C." won the election and took office in January of 1936.

Councilmen elected with Mayor Montgomery were Harold Stevens, Nephi Moulton, Douglas Giles, Andrew A. Lindsay and Owen F. Buell. Effie Murdock was treasurer with Leonard Giles as city marshal. City sexton and poundkeeper was William H. Bond.

Mayor Montgomery, an active Democrat, took office in the depression recovery days of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt's administration, and implemented many work programs in Heber. Many city sidewalks were paved under the Works Progress Administration, with the government paying for labor and property owners paying for materials. Ground to build a sewer was purchased and the city waterworks was improved with Public Works Administration funds.

